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For: **SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR LEAST COST ROUTING OF  
LONG DISTANCE OR INTERNATIONAL TELEPHONE CALLS**

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Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Official Action dated December 31, 2002, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 1, 7-11, and 18, and add new claim 19, as follows.

1. (Once Amended) A method for routing a call from a calling party to a called party,  
comprising:

receiving an incoming call request from the calling party;